AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The text of all pending claims, including withdrawn claims, is set forth below. Cancelled and not entered claims are indicated with claim number and status only. The claims as listed below show added text with <u>underlining</u> and deleted text with ~~strikethrough~~. The status of each claim is indicated with one of (original), (currently amended), (cancelled), (withdrawn), (new), (previously presented), or (not entered).

Please AMEND claims 1, 7, 8, 11, 12, 16, 20, 23, and 24 to read as follows:

1. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system for selling goods through a network, the goods being a variety <u>of elements</u> of font sets which are different from each other and are sold one by one, the system comprising:

a unit storage section ~~storing~~<u>configured to store</u> a plurality of units for each font set, each unit being a price per element corresponding to a range of elements to which the font set is to be applied, an element being a character;

a detecting section ~~detecting~~<u>configured to detect</u> the number of elements to be purchased on the basis of information of one or more font sets to be purchased which is received from a purchaser;

a purchase record storage section ~~storing~~<u>configured to store</u> the number of elements purchased by a purchaser in the past;

an addition section ~~reading~~<u>configured to read</u> the number of elements purchased in the past from the purchase record storage section when the number of elements is detected by the detecting section, and adding the read number the detected number;

a reading section ~~reading~~<u>configured to read</u> at least one unit corresponding to the elements to be purchased on the basis of the number of elements detected and a result of addition by the addition section;

a first calculating section ~~calculating~~<u>configured to calculate</u> the number of elements belonging to a range to which the read at least one unit is to be applied;

a second calculating section ~~calculating~~<u>configured to calculate</u> the purchase price by using the read at least one unit and the number of elements calculated;

a data storage section ~~storing~~<u>configured to store</u> a set of ~~the~~ data;

a creating section ~~creating~~<u>configured to create</u> a supply file including data corresponding to information of the elements to be purchased by using the set of data stored in the data

storage section and including data purchased by the purchaser in the past; and

a supplying section ~~supplying~~ configured to supply the created supply file to the purchaser.

2. (CANCELLED)

3. (CANCELLED)

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5. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A system according to claim 1 wherein the set of data is font set data, and

a piece of the data is font data as an element of the font set data.

6. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A system according to claim 1 wherein the set of data represents sentences divided every predetermined range, and the data represents the range constructing the sentences.

7. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system for a purchaser to purchase goods through a network, the goods being a variety of elements of font sets which are different from each other and are sold one by one, the system comprising:

a transmitting section ~~transmitting~~ configured to transmit information of one or more elements to be purchased to a seller, an element being a character;

a receiving section ~~receiving~~ configured to receive a price of the one or more elements to be purchased, the price being calculated by using at least one unit which is a price per element corresponding to a range of elements to which a font set is to be applied and is determined on the basis of (i) the number of elements to be purchased and a range to which the unit is applied and (ii) a result of addition between the number of elements of font sets to be purchased and the number of elements of font sets purchased in the past by the purchaser and receiving a supply file including data corresponding to information of the elements to be purchased and including data purchased by the purchaser in the past; and

a display controlling section ~~displaying~~ configured to display the received price on a display.

8. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system according to claim 7 wherein the receiving section receives a price of the element to be purchased, which is calculated by using at least one unit of an element determined on the basis of a result of addition between the number of elements of font sets to be purchased and the number of elements of font sets purchased in the past by the purchaser.

9. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A system according to claim 7 wherein the goods denote a set of data as the elements, and the receiving section receives a supply file including data corresponding to information of the element to be purchased.

10. (CANCELED)

11. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A goods selling system having a client and a server connected to the client through a network, the goods being a variety of elements of font sets which are different from each other and are sold one by one,

the client computer comprising:

a transmitting/receiving section transmitting configured to transmit information of one or more elements to be purchased, an element being a character; and

a display controlling section displaying configured to display a received purchase price on a display, the purchase price being received by the transmitting/receiving section from the server as a price of elements to be purchased;

the server computer comprising:

a unit storage section storing configured to store a plurality of units for each font set, each unit being a price per element corresponding to a range of elements to which the font set is to be applied;

a second transmitting/receiving section receiving configured to receive information of the elements and transmitting the purchase price;

a detecting section detecting configured to detect the number of elements to be purchased on the basis of the information of the elements;

a purchase record storage section storing configured to store the number of elements purchased by a purchaser in the past: and

an addition section reading configured to read the number of elements purchased in the past from the purchase record storage section when the number of elements is detected by the detecting section, and adding the read number to the detected number,

a reading section ~~reading~~ configured to read at least one unit corresponding to the detected number of element(s) from the unit storage section and a result of addition by the addition section:

a first calculating section ~~calculating~~ configured to calculate the number of elements belonging to a range to which the read at least one unit is to be applied;

a second calculating section ~~calculating~~ configured to calculate the purchase price by using the read at least one unit and the number of calculated element(s);

a data storage section ~~storing~~ configured to store a set of ~~the~~ data;

a creating section ~~creating~~ configured to create a supply file including data corresponding to information of the elements to be purchased by using the set of data stored in the data storage section and including data purchased by the purchaser in the past;

a supplying section ~~supplying~~ configured to supply the created supply file to the purchaser.

12. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A computer readable medium on which a program for controlling a computer to execute a method of selling goods through a network is recorded, the goods being a variety of elements of font sets which are different from each other and are sold one by one, the method comprising:

storing a plurality of units for each font set, each unit being a price per element corresponding to a range of elements to which the font set is to be applied, an element being a character;

detecting the number of elements to be purchased on the basis of information of one or more font sets to be purchased which is received from a purchaser;

storing the number of elements purchased by a purchaser in the past;

reading the number of elements purchased in the past when the number of font sets is detected, and adding the read number to the detected number;

reading at least one unit corresponding to the elements to be purchased on the basis of the number of elements detected and a result of the addition from ~~the~~ a unit storage section:

calculating the number of elements belonging to a range to which the at least one read unit is to be applied;

calculating the purchase price by using the read at least one unit and the number of elements calculated;

storing a set of ~~the~~ data;

creating a supply file including data corresponding to information of the elements to be

purchased by using the set of data stored in ~~the~~ a_data storage section and including data purchased by the purchaser in the past; and

a-supplying-section-supplying the created supply file to the purchaser.

13. (CANCELLED)

14. (CANCELLED)

15. (CANCELLED)

16. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A computer readable medium in which a program for controlling a computer to execute a method for a purchaser to purchase goods through a network is recorded, the goods being a variety of elements of font sets which are different from each other and are sold one by one, the method comprising:

transmitting information of one or more elements to be purchased to a seller;

receiving a price of the one or more elements to be purchased, the price being calculated by using at least one unit which is a price per element corresponding to a range of elements to which a font set is to be applied and is determined on the basis of (i) the number of elements to be purchased and a range to which the unit is applied and (ii) a result of addition between the number of elements to be purchased and the number of elements purchased in the past by the purchaser and a range to which the unit is applied and receiving a supply file including data corresponding to information of the elements to be purchased by using a set of stored data and including data purchased by the purchaser in the past; and

displaying the received price onto a display.

17. (CANCELED)

18. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A computer readable medium according to claim 16 wherein the goods denote a set of data as the font sets, and the method further comprises receiving a supply file including data corresponding to information of the elements to be purchased.

19. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A computer readable medium according to claim 18 wherein the method further comprising receiving a supply file further including data purchased in

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the past by the purchaser.

20. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system for selling goods through a network, comprising:

a storage section ~~storing~~ configured to store a goods purchase record of a purchaser, the goods being a variety of elements of font sets which are different from each other;

a calculating section ~~calculating~~ configured to calculate a purchase price of goods to be purchased which is received from the purchaser on the basis of the purchase record of the purchaser stored in the storage section;

a unit storage section ~~storing~~ configured to store units of the variety of goods according to the quantity of goods and a range to which each unit is applied;

a creating section ~~creating~~ configured to create a supply file including data corresponding to information of the elements to be purchased by using a set of stored data and including the purchase record; and

a supplying section ~~supplying~~ configured to supply the created supply file to the purchaser,

wherein the calculating section calculates the purchase price of the goods to be purchased by obtaining the application range to which the goods to be purchased belongs and the quantity of the goods to be purchased on the basis of a sum of a quantity of goods in the purchase record and the quantity of goods to be purchased.

21. (CANCELLED)

22. (CANCELLED)

23. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A system for selling goods through a network, comprising:

a transmitting section ~~transmitting~~ configured to transmit information of goods to be purchased which is designated by a purchaser to a seller, the goods being elements of a variety of elements of font sets which are different from each other, the elements being characters;

a receiving section receiving a purchase price of the goods to be purchased, which is determined on the basis of a result of addition of the number of elements of font sets to be purchased and the number of elements of font sets purchased by the purchaser in the past and receiving a supply file including data corresponding to information of the elements to be

purchased and including the purchase record; and

a display controlling section ~~displaying~~ configured to display the received price onto a display.

24. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A goods selling system having a client and a server connected to the client through a network,

the client computer comprising:

a transmitting section ~~transmitting~~ configured to transmit information of goods to be purchased which is designated by a purchaser to the server, the goods being elements of a variety of elements of font sets which are different from each other, the elements being characters;

a receiving section ~~receiving~~ configured to receive a purchase price of the goods to be purchased from the server; and

a display controlling section ~~displaying~~ configured to display the received price onto a display, and

the server computer comprising:

a purchase record storage section ~~storing~~ configured to store a goods purchase record of the purchaser, the goods record including the number of elements purchased by the purchaser in the past; and

a calculating section ~~calculating~~ configured to calculate a purchase price of the goods to be purchased for each type of the goods, which is received from the client on the basis of the purchase record of the purchaser stored in the purchase record storage section and the number of elements being purchased:

a creating section ~~creating~~ configured to create a supply file including data corresponding to information of the elements to be purchased by using a set of stored data and including the purchase record; and

a supplying section ~~supplying~~ configured to supply the created supply file to the purchaser.

25. (CANCELLED)

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